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TAGS: MPOL, MORG, MMOL, XF, XG, XI, XO, XW, ZM

SUBJECT:ACTIVATION OF NAVAL CONTROL OF SHIPPING STANDBY  
REPORTING OFFICERS

REF: NOSIC SUITLAND MD 092339Z JUN 77 PASEP

REFTEL, BEING REPEATED TO YOU, OUTLINES A PROPOSED NAVAL  
CONTROL OF SHIPPING EXERCISE TO BE CONDUCTED FROM 19-23 JUNE  
1977, WHICH WILL INVOLVE, INTER ALIA, THE ACTIVATION OF  
NCS STANDBY REPORTING OFFICERS IN ADDRESSEE COUNTRIES. DEPT  
HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THIS IS A US NATIONAL OPERATIONAL  
TEST AND WILL NOT RPT NOT INVOLVE FOREIGN NATIONALS, HOST  
GOVERNMENTS, OR LOCAL OFFICIALS BEYOND OBTAINING MERCHANT  
SHIPPING INFORMATION IN LOCATIONS WHERE THIS IS A MATTER  
OF ROUTINE. BASED ON THIS INFORMATION, DEPT HAS NOT RPT NOT  
INTERPOSED OBJECTION. CHRISTOPHER

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